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MUCH INTEREST IS TAKEN IN OPINION

Seems to Pass on Two or Three Questions of Importance.

Prisoners May Be Worked on the Streets—Knocks Out Section of the Charter.

AND ALSO DEFINES "CRIME"

The court of appeals in its decision yesterday in the Sam Stone case from Paducah, involving half a million dollars worth of damage suits against the city, seems to have decided two points clearly.

One of these is that the ordinances authorizing city officials to work prisoners on the streets for fines are valid and enforceable, and a person may be worked on the streets here after conviction for misdemeanor.

Another important point is that police magistrates or judges in second class cities cannot take final jurisdiction in petty larceny cases, as they have been doing. Yesterday's decision holds that a police judge's jurisdiction cannot be in any case where the fine and imprisonment may be more than \$100 and fifty days. This would restrict police judges to misdemeanors, and invalidates that part of the second class charter enabling police judges to sentence prisoners to the lockup or workhouse for petty larceny.

Another question that the court of appeals passes on is that of "peonage." Of course this opinion will have no effect on the federal court's construction of the term, but the Kentucky court of appeals states that it believes that "lurine," both in the thirteenth amendment to the federal constitution and in the state constitution, means both felonies and misdemeanors.

The decision relative to the jurisdiction of police judges, however, will prove of unusual importance, as it knocks out a section of the second class charter that had not heretofore been passed on. It means that in second class cities, as well as in third class cities, prisoners charged with petty larceny must be tried by the county or circuit judge.

City Solicitor Ed Puryear has telegraphed for a complete transcript of the opinions, and until it arrives a number of things will not be fully understood.

Attorney J. M. Worthen, who is in Smithland, attending court, stated over the telephone today that he could not make a statement until he saw the court's opinion in the case. He said it was possible the decision means all the cases will have to be dismissed, but that on the other hand it may not. The suit decided yesterday was an ex parte petition filed principally to test certain questions involved.

OUT THREE MINUTES.

Memphis Negro Sentenced to Hang For Outraging a Louisiana Woman.

New Iberia, La., April 20.—The negro Holmes, charged with outraging a white woman on Avery Island some weeks ago, was tried in the district court here today. Holmes was identified by his victim in court.

After listening to the revolving evidence, the jury retired and in three minutes returned with a verdict of guilty as charged. The judge thereupon sentenced the negro to death.

Under the law of Louisiana the governor will fix the date for the execution. Holmes came here from Memphis, Tenn. He narrowly escaped lynching when the crime was committed, and only the promise of a speedy trial by the district judge saved him.

IN JUNE

Remains of John Paul Jones Will Arrive.

Paris, April 20.—The state department has advised Ambassador Porter that an American squadron is sent to take the body of John Paul Jones to the United States probably in June. It is expected the French government will participate in an imposing funeral pageant when the body leaves Paris. Detailed plans have not yet been made but it probably will occur shortly before the French national holiday, June 14. Large forces of French soldiers and sailors will form the escort.

MORE RIOTING.

Strikers Attack a Church and Are Dispersed by Soldiers.

Limoges, France, April 20.—There was more rioting by striking porcelain workers last night. They attacked a church and soldiers finally dispersed them by firing in the air.

Y. M. C. A. AT FULTON.

Preparations Being Made to Establish One.

Fulton, Ky., April 20.—The establishment of a Y. M. C. A. in Fulton is the latest enterprise undertaken by the ministers in this city. They are receiving great encouragement from the business men and citizens in general. The railroad men here are all in favor of establishing such an institution for they realize the great advantages it will afford them. A committee has already been appointed to select a suitable location for the building and the success of the enterprise seems assured.

The South Fulton Institute has been closed on account of the lax attendance of the pupils. This is the first time the doors of this old institution of learning have been closed in many years. It was until about two years ago known as the South Fulton Normal and Business College.

"HE'S A BEAUT."

Is Courier's Opinion of President Roosevelt as a Hunter.

Glenwood Springs, Colo., April 20.—While Courier Chapman was returning at Newcastle, he was different when his journey was at an end and Secretary Loeb had removed the injunction of secrecy. His eyes kindled with a fire that told his admiration for the president's prowess as a hunter more than could the words at his command. One expression which the hardy mountaineer injected into his story was:

"Say, fellows, he's a beaut and no mistake. The way he scents game would make you think he was born in the mountains and had never left them. Say, now, being president don't make any difference with a man that's got the real stuff in him. Goff said he was the real thing, and did not need showing, but I did not believe it."

SOUTHERN COLLEGES.

Will Receive Requests From a Chicago Capitalist.

Chicago, April 20.—Gifts amounting in all to \$250,000 will be made this year to small colleges in the rural districts of Tennessee, North Carolina and West Virginia. This announcement was made today by Dr. D. R. Pearson, retired capitalist and benefactor of many small colleges in the United States.

"I am not going to give to any rich colleges," said Dr. Pearson. "I have a lot of colleges to choose from in distributing the \$250,000 that I have decided to send down south, I am going to pick out the very poorest and most worthy and have the money ready by May 1."

PRISONERS PERISH

In an Effort to Burn Their Way Out of Jail.

New Orleans, La., April 20.—In an attempt to escape prisoners fired the parish jail at Ponchatoula, La., forty-two miles from New Orleans, with the result that two of them were cremented and a third fatally burned.

The dead:

HENRY TAYLOR, Vine Mount, Ala.

JIM REILLY, Philadelphia, Pa.

Fatally burned:

LUCIEN GEORGE DE LAS, Lafayette, La.

ALL ACCEPTED.

Alleged Crooked Pension Examiners Retire in a Hurry.

Washington, April 20.—Secretary Hitchcock has accepted the enforced resignations of nine of ten members of the board of review, pension office, who were accused of approving applications for pensions of members of Pennsylvania and volunteer regiments which never served in the civil war.

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VANDERBILT BURNING.

Nashville, Tenn., April 20.—Vanderbilt University is on fire and it is thought the entire building will be destroyed.

Stocks—

L. & N. 1.46% 1.47%

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TODAY'S MARKETS

Wheat—

Open. Close.

May, 1.13 1.10

July, 87 87%

Corn—

May, 47 47

July, 47 47

Oct—

May, 29 29

July, 29 29

Pork—

July, 12.75 12.75

Cotton—

May, 7.39 7.36

July, 7.31 7.38

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HYDE IS ASKED TO RESIGN POSITION

Committee Appointed by Equitable Agents to Wait on Him.

Hyde Declared It Was Insulting and Impudent, and He Would Not Resign.

HAS RETAINED MR. CHOATE.

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Mr. Hyde said: "I have not seen the committee and I have not seen the resolutions, but consider them impudent, extraordinary, insulting and most preposterous. I have no intention of resigning."

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POISON IN CANDY.

Mysterious Present Sent to a Woman in Mobile.

Mobile, Ala., April 20.—A report was lodged at police headquarters of an attempt made on the life of Mrs. Florence Hogan by means of a box of candy sent here through the mails by some unknown person, presumably as a birthday present, yesterday being her anniversary. When she opened the box she found it contained fine candy but emitted a penetrating odor and was covered with fine powder. She took it to a drug store and was informed that it contained enough poison to kill fifty people. Detectives are on the case and it is understood the government will make an investigation.

WILL SPREAD

STRIKE AT CHICAGO IS RECOMMENDED.

Delivery of Coal to Concern Results in Others Being Called Out.

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KENTUCKY NEWS TOLD IN PARAGRAPHS

Bryan Spoke in Kentucky.
Williamburg, Ky., April 20.—The Hon. William J. Bryan lectured to a large crowd here. While here Mr. Bryan promised \$500 from the Bennett fund, of which he is trustee, to endow a scholarship in the Williamburg Institute. He was much impressed with the educational demands of this section of the mountains of Kentucky and the superior advantages of this school to advance the cause of education and morality among the young people of the Kentucky mountains.

Girl Summoned On a Jury.
Owensboro, Ky., April 20.—For the first time as far as any one knows in the history of Kentucky a young woman has been summoned on a federal jury. Miss Fletcher L. Gregory, a pretty girl of eighteen, received an official document through the mail demanding her to appear at the May term of United States court in this city and act as juror. The young woman is preparing for a trip to Colorado, and when she read the contents of the letter she turned pale, knowing that she would miss the trip if she had to serve as a juror. The jury commissioner in this city was appealed to, and it was found that a mistake had been made in sending the summons to the young girl. It was intended for her father, A. V. Gregory.

Death at Hickman.
Fulton, Ky., April 20.—Charlie Maxey, an old and highly respected resident of West Hickman, died of a complication. He leaves a wife, two step-children and a brother.

Newport's Man's Sudden Death.
Newport, Ky., April 20.—Edward L. Lear, known all over the country through his connection with the Wiedemann Brewing company, died suddenly while seated in his private of-

fee. Ten minutes before he succumbed he had conversed with Charles Wiedemann, but did not complain of feeling ill. Heart disease caused his death. He had been general manager of the sales department for fifteen years.

Newspaper at Frankfort.
Frankfort, Ky., April 20.—W. P. Walton, of Lexington, has closed a deal for the purchase of the Kentucky Journal, morning Democratic daily, here. He will take charge Monday next.

EVANSVILLE MEN

WILL COME DOWN ON THE QUEEN CITY.

Will Board the Steamer at Evansville and Accompany the Party to Cairo.

Says yesterday's Courier-Journal: "Capt. L. Odell, secretary of the local branch of the Ohio River Improvement society, returned this week from Louisville, where he has been conferring with upper river men concerning the reception of the members of the rivers and harbors committee who will leave Pittsburgh May 10 for a tour of the Ohio."

"In conjunction with Captain Odell, Colonel Frank Posey yesterday sent out notices to the members of the local branch of the river society and to the members of the E. B. A. and E. M. A. asking them to meet at the Business Men's hall tonight to select a number of delegates to make the trip from here to Cairo with the committee on board the steamer Queen City, which has been chartered by the O. V. I. A. and on which the congressmen will make the trip down the Ohio as the guests of the association.

"The rivers and harbors committee will be entertained while here in great style. Just what the exact program of the day will be has not yet been settled. It is likely to comprise a spread at the E. B. A. banquet hall and possibly a carriage tour of the city."

GOT AWAY

Officers From Marshall County Seeking Alleged Fugitive.

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AUDITOR'S AGENT
FRANK LUCAS WINS

Court of Appeals Decides He Holds Four Years.

Paducah Official Has Made a Hard, but Victorious Fight to Hold His Place.

HAGER CANNOT APPENDT NOW.

Auditor's Agent Frank Lucas, of Paducah, has won a final victory in Kentucky which entitles him to hold for four years, or over a year longer, under former Auditor Coulter's appointment.

The court of appeals has just decided the case that went up from Frankfort, where he brought a mandamus suit to compel the present auditor to accept a renewal of his bond, which Auditor Hager had refused to do.

A Frankfort dispatch says:

"The court of appeals today, in affirming a judgment of the Franklin circuit or state fiscal court, holds that State Revenue Agents appointed by former Auditor Gus G. Coulter under the provisions of the revenue act of the 1902 legislative session hold their offices four years from that time, and that they cannot be removed at the pleasure of the auditor.

The ruling is announced in case of S. W. Hager, auditor, against Frank A. Lucas. The act of 1902 became a law in June of that year, and Lucas was appointed in August following for a term of four years. When Auditor Hager succeeded Mr. Coulter he took the stand that the revenue agents were removable at the pleasure of the appointing power, and declined to approve a new bond which had been filed by Agent Lucas. This action was then filed to settle the question as to the term of such officials. The circuit judge ruled against the auditor, and an appeal to the higher court was taken. The opinion of the appellate court was delivered by Chief Justice Johnson.

In upholding the judgment of the court below the court here says in part:

It is insisted for the auditor that the revenue agents are in effect his clerks appointed by him for the purpose of better discharging his duties in the collection of the state's revenue; that they occupy toward him a personal relation; that one auditor should not have the power to appoint a number of these agents and impose them upon his successor. * * * While this is an argument that might be addressed with great force to the legislature the language of the statutes is free from ambiguity and must be enforced according to its plain meaning. The first act creating auditor's agents became a law April 29, 1880. It provided they should be subject to removal by the auditor at pleasure. The act of 1902 was passed during the term of Gus G. Coulter as auditor. The legislature knew that his term would expire in about two years after that act was passed, and with this knowledge it expressly provided that the term should be for four years. By section 4259 they are required before entering upon their duties to execute bond not to take the oath required of other officers. They are then constituted officers of the commonwealth holding for a fixed term and acting under bond. Their duties are prescribed by law and in many matters they may not independently of the auditor and without his consent, as in assessing omitted property under section 4211 of the Kentucky statutes. The purpose of the legislature seems to have been to make them more independent and to secure a better class of men by giving them a definite term. There has been a session of the legislature since the term of appellant began and the act of 1902 was not amended or modified. The statute confers upon the auditor of public accounts the power to appoint one revenue agent in each county of the state and in addition four such agents from the state at large. When the power of appointment has been exercised it is exhausted and no other appointment can be made during the term of the appointees except in case of vacancy.

Agent Lucas has had a hard fight to make, but he has stood with them at every stage of the game, and his final victory will be a source of gratification to his many friends here and elsewhere.

This decision means that the appointment of Attorney James Campbell, Jr., of Paducah, as auditor's agent to succeed Mr. Lucas, and the appointment of several others throughout the state by Auditor Hager, are void, the appointees of former Auditor Coulter holding good from June, 1902, to June, 1906.

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Have some choice Fountain park lots which are selling fast. Attend to it if you want desirable home there.

South Third street 5-room house between Jones' and Norton streets, at \$1,000 on easy payments.

Bargain in 3-room South Third street house near Norton. See me for price.

1326 Jefferson St., very nice 5-room house, hot and cold water inside, bath, while house in clean condition. Price \$1,800.

One best grocery and saloon stands and stock goods in city at a sacrifice. Buyer allowed to stay and see sales and actual business being done any reasonable length of time before closing purchase. Price \$1,500 to \$1,700, as stock is at time of trade by invoice. See me and get good thing.

1022 Clay street, nice 4-room residence, with large stable on 54-foot lot. Price \$1,500.

Chance for colored people to buy homes on small monthly payments.

Chance for nice homes on small payments: 1723 Harrison St., good, nice, four room house, 50 ft. lot; price \$1200; of this \$200 cash and balance in monthly payments of \$12.50.

1721 Harrison St., 6 room house with water inside, 50 ft. lot; make very desirable home. Both these houses are in Ft. Park. Price \$1500, of which \$250 cash and balance in \$15 monthly payments.

Excellent 6 room house with bath, N. E. corner Broadway and 25th Sts. Price \$1,850.

Good four-room residence in Menahealsburg, Joliette the Biederman grocery store, price \$850, half cash and as much time as wanted on balance.

Nice 4-room residence, good house and large lot, on South Eighth street, excellent home for colored man, at \$900 on easy payments.

Bargain to home builders in 25 lots near I. C. passenger depot at \$100 each, on small cash payment and balance \$5 per month. These are best lots to be gotten near depot and if want cheap homes there come and get first choice.

235 South Sixth St. very desirable 10 room house on corner lot fronting Yester park. Excellent residence, or well suited for first class boarding house. See me for price and terms as are anxious to sell.

Seven-room, two-story residence, with sewerage, bath, 52-foot corner lot at southeast corner Ninth and Adams streets, excellent location. Price \$2,400.

Don't forget that I have at all times plenty money to loan on farm mortgages at 6 per cent interest, ten years' time.

New plot of Madison St. lots just west of and adjoining Fountain park, all level and high, and street graded and graveled. Survey just made and plat turned over to me. Come while we get first choice. Price \$250 of which \$25 cash and balance on \$5 monthly payments. Location, price and terms considered, these are most desirable lots in Paducah.

First class business property on both Second and Third streets near Broadway. Best chance to be had in this line of investment. Ask for details.

Four excellent houses on Teanease street between 11th and 12th streets, no better of size and class in city. Corner one at \$2,000 and three inside ones at \$1,600 each.

No. 520 North Sixth street, rented by year to prompt paying tenant at \$35 per month. Price \$4,000.

No. 226 Kentucky avenue, good business property. Rents at \$35 per month, price on easy payments, \$3,100.

New house, 4 rooms, bath, bath. No. 1 residence; 50 ft. lot, on Monroe street, between 12th and 13th, at \$1,500.

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WANT STREETS OPEN TO THE I. C. SHOPS

Petitions to Extend Clark and Thirteenth Streets.

Board of Works Aide to Carry On No Work Except That of a Few Sidewalks.

REGULAR MEETING YESTERDAY

The residents of West Clark street are preparing to petition the general council to open Clark street through the hollow to the Illinois Central yards. It will have to be done some day, and it is deemed a good time to start it now when there will be much dirt available from the street reconstruction to make the necessary fill.

The opening of 13th street from Jackson to the I. C. shops is also desired by the residents, and both will likely be planned before the legislative boards at an early date. The opening of streets here would not only be a great advantage to the people of that locality, but to the entire city as well.

Yesterday afternoon at the board of works meeting it was ordered that the city engineer at once get the necessary material for laying new piping under Third street for drainage in order that when the street is paved new, strong pipe will be used and possibly prevent the future tearing up the street to repair the drainage. No storm water sewers will have to be built on Third street owing to the fact that the street drains towards the river instead of up or down the street.

The city engineer was ordered to prepare specifications for the pavements on Jefferson from Second to Ninth and on Kentucky from Fifth to Ninth, this being about all the work the city is going to undertake at present.

Street Inspector Elliott was ordered to put Clark street beyond Ninth street in good condition, the concrete pavements having been completed.

The street roller was reported to be doing good work, and will shortly be worked on Caldwell street towards the passenger depot to repair the thoroughfare.

Mr. James T. Morris, of the Barber Asphalt company, is here looking over Third street specifications with a view to bidding on the work.

Two trimmers' carts for the light department have arrived from Flint, Mich., and are a great improvement over the old buggies used for several years in replenishing the carbon for light.

Weather Almost Too Chilly.

The Island Queen excursions yesterday afternoon and last night under the auspices of the Elks were enjoyable, but on account of the cool weather the crowds were not so large as they would otherwise have been. In the afternoon about 150 went out of Paducah and several hundred were brought from Metropolis, and in the evening about 500 went from Paducah.

IT GRINDS CRISP AND SNAPPY.

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HOW THE DATE FOR EASTER SUNDAY IS ALWAYS DETERMINED

The late arrival of Easter this year renews attention to the difference that exists between the astronomical full moon and the ecclesiastical full moon, by which the date of the festivities is determined.

Archdeacon Sinclair of London, makes this statement on the subject: "The question is a very complicated one, and it is, therefore, impossible to go into it at full length. I will however give it in outline. There was early times a difficulty about the correct way of reckoning Easter. The churches of the East kept it on the same day on which the Jews celebrated the Passover—the fourteenth day of the month Nisan, which month began at the new moon next to the vernal equinox. The western churches kept it on the Sunday after the Passover.

"The Council of Nicene (325 A. D.) ordered that it should be invariably kept on the same day with these rules:

"1. That the twenty-first day of March should be accounted as the vernal equinox.

"2. That the full moon happening upon, or next after, March 21, should be taken for the next full moon of Nisan—that is, the ecclesiastical moon.

"3. That the Sunday next following should be Easter day.

"4. If the full moon happen on a Sunday, Easter day should be the Sunday afterwards.

"These full moons were determined by a cycle of the moon of nineteen years, invented by Melon, the Athenian, 432 years before Christ. The years in the cycle received the name of the Golden Number.

"This system was erroneous, because the nineteen years cycle was too long and also the Julian year, by which they reckoned, exceeds the truly solar year by eleven minutes. The calendar was, therefore, corrected about 200 years after by Dionysius Exiguus, a Roman, which correction lasted from 534 A. D. to 1538. Then Pope Gregory XIII again reformed the calendar, and brought back the vernal equinox to March 21. This reform was introduced into England in 1752, in which year September

TO PHILIPPINES

LARGE PARTY OF DISTINGUISHED AMERICANS WILL GO ABOUT JULY 1.

Many ladies will be in the delegation—all guests of Philippine Government.

Washington, April 19.—The bureau of insular affairs of the war department has given out the following information relative to the trip of the secretary of war and party to the Philippines Islands:

The following is the personnel of the official party: Secretary Taft, Ethan Root, ex-secretary of war; Senators Allison, of Iowa, and Daniel, of Virginia; Dubois of Idaho; Foster of Louisiana; Long, of Kansas; Newlands, of Nevada; Patterson, of Colorado; Scott, of West Virginia; Stone, of Missouri; Warren, of Wyoming; Speaker Cannon; Representatives Horace Coeckan, of New York; Cooper, of Wisconsin; Crumpacker, of Indiana; Curtis, of Kansas; DeArmond, of Missouri; Foss, of Illinois; Gillett, of Massachusetts; Grosvenor, of Ohio; Hepburn, of Iowa; Hill, of Connecticut; Howard, of Georgia; Jones, of Virginia; Longworth, of Ohio; McKinley, of Illinois; Payne, of New York; Scott, of Kansas; Sherley, of Kentucky; Smith, of Illinois; Watson, of Indiana; Col. Edwards, chief of bureau of insular affairs; Fred W. Carpenter, private secretary of the secretary of war.

The following are the members of families and others who are to accompany the party at their own expense:

Miss Roosevelt, Miss Heardman and Miss McMillan, of Washington; Mrs. Senator Dubois, Mrs. Senator Stone, Mrs. Representative De Armond, Mrs. Representative Clark, Mrs. Representative Hepburn, Mrs. Representative Hill, Mrs. Representative Payne, Mrs. Representative Smith, Mrs. Representative Jones; son of Secretary Root; William Heyburn; Major W. Austin Wadsworth, Mrs. Wadsworth, Rogers K. Wetmore.

They will take passage on the Pacific mail steamer Manchuria July 1. The steamer will touch at Honolulu, Yokohama, Kobe and Nagasaki, then go straight to Manila, where the party will remain about ten days. In addition to the other questions the determination of the railway problems made possible by the Cooper law, which was passed at the last session of congress, will be accomplished. Secretary Taft, ex-Secretary Root and Col. Edwards have much to do with this question, and it is expected that the details will be worked out and a definite proposition submitted for the approval of the secretary of war by the time of the arrival of the party.

The party then will take a government transport, possibly the Sheridan, and spend about twenty days visiting the points of interest, especially the commercial ports in the southern islands, and returning, the Pacific mail steamer Koree will touch at Manila and take the party home, stopping at Hong Kong and probably at the same ports in reverse order, and sail from Honolulu to San Francisco, arriving at San Francisco about October 1.

It is stated that all parties will pay all their expenses to and from San Francisco, except the railroad fare. The expenses of the trip will be borne by the Philippine government, as the party visits the islands as the guests of that government.

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NOTICE.
Green River Coal Co. vs.
Steamer City of Idaho.

Pursuant to an order of the United States district court for the Western district of Kentucky at Paducah, entered on the 18th day of April, 1905, in the above styled action, I will on the 13th day of May, 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the port of Paducah, Ky., sell to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand, the steamer City of Idaho, her engines, tackle, apparel, furniture, etc., to satisfy the claims in said actions.

A. D. JAMES, U. S. M. W. D. Ky.
By GEO. W. SAUNDERS, Deputy.

New Traveling Passenger Agent.
Mr. Owen Durham is appointed traveling passenger agent of the Illinois Central, with headquarters at Memphis, Tenn., vice Mr. A. Q. Pease, deceased.

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BIG EVENT

WILL BE THE TRIP OF RIVERS AND HARBORS COMMITTEE

Improved Ohio Will Mean Much to Real Estate Owners Along the Waterway.

The trip of the congressional committee down the Ohio is looked upon as one of the most important events in the history of the development of the valley, as no similar committee ever made such an excursion.

The improved Ohio will mean for the real estate along the Ohio river bottoms is amply shown in the map, which is now on between Pittsburgh and Beaver to secure manufacturing sites. Farms on the river bottom, which could have been bought for \$6,000 or \$10,000 a few years ago, are now held at \$25,000 and over. The increased price is entirely due to the fact that the river will be slack-watered along

this stretch within the next two years. It would require ten or fifteen years' steady work to slack-water the Ohio river to Cairo. The increased value of real estate along the river would pay for the improvement several times, even if it cost the highest figure named in estimates, \$100,000,000. For this reason every farmer on the river is interested in this movement, while owners of city realty are already aware to the possibility of the situation. That it is coming is assured.

FLAGMAN KILLED

Was Crushed at Humboldt, Tenn.—I. C. Man Loses Foot at Cairo.

Flagman James Russell, of the Mobile and Ohio, well known among railroad men, was killed yesterday afternoon at Humboldt, Tenn. Russell was making a coupling between a couple of cars when the engine unexpectedly "humped" into one of them. He was caught between the humpers and crushed to death.

Albert Steel, a switchman employed by the Illinois Central, fell under the wheels of a switch engine yesterday afternoon. His right foot was badly crushed and amputation was necessary. Steel jumped from a car, but his coat caught on one of the bolts and he was thrown to the ground.

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Personally appeared before me this day E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of March, 1905, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR,

Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan. 22, 1908.

Daily Thought.

"Every vocation has some advantages and disadvantages not found in any other."

The Weather.

Showers tonight and probably Friday, with colder Friday.

CLEAN PREMISES.

People should clean up their premises. They never know to what extent death and disease may be lurking in the ash pile, swill barrel, the unclean alley or the weed-grown yard.

Louisville has an enterprising, progressive health officer, who is constantly giving good advice. Here is some of his latest, and its good for all people and places:

"It is contrary to all ideas of cleanliness to dump garbage in any low place that may be large enough to receive it. This is certainly not garbage disposal, but only the removal of filth from one location to another. The germs of deadly disease are deposited on dump piles, coming from the ash barrels of infected houses, and are in turn carried by flies, mosquitoes, ants, rats, and dogs, and by the winds into the homes of our people, who are thus made ill, and not infrequently death comes from such out-of-date, outrageous practices.

"These public dumps are made the receptacles for old mattresses, rags and filth of every description. They are unsightly, unhygienic and discreditable.

"If all would take a pride in their premises we would have less flies and mosquitoes to contend with during the summer months," said Dr. Allen. "Such pests breed in old bottles and tin cans that are allowed to litter many of the yards. There is no greater germ-bearing pest than the fly. They swarm over garbage dumps, and then enter the home, where screens are not provided, carrying disease germs with them.

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The general public, which is paying the taxes, is putting up interest on the bonds it voted for public improvements, and wants the improvements. It voted the money to pay for, is powerless to do anything in the matter of having the work done this year, but it will remember a few things in November, when some of the obstinate officials nod up for re-election. Of course these officials can't help being of small bone, but

they should take warning now, and if they do not want to be repudiated as the members of the board who ran last November were repudiated, they should start this public work for which the city has all the money ready.

The city seems to be rid of its chinquapin suits. Now is a good time to do away with this system of working prisoners. The charter clearly intends cities of this class to have workhouses. The work the prisoners have done on the streets has never been such as to pay for keeping them. The women prisoners who fall to pay fines cannot be worked at all, because Paducah has no workhouse. Street work and cleaning should be done under the supervision of the board of works, and under the direction of capable foremen or overseers. With premises connected with the sewerage, and a reasonable co-operation of citizens in keeping the sidewalks in front of their homes clean, city prisoners can be used to better advantage than by working them on the streets. Judge Sanders has for years advocated a workhouse. Now is a good time to get one.

John R. Davies was Tuesday re-elected mayor of Jacksonville, Ill., by an increased majority, largely, it is said, because of sixteen indictments that had been returned against him at the instance of the law and order league. It does not always pay to persecute an official.

It does not take even a stranger long to size up some of our city officials. Their wonder, however, is not at the kind of men we have in office, but that they were ever able to get there.

MORE SIGNERS

To Muster Roll for New Military Company.

Mr. Zack Bryant, who is organizing a military company here for the state guards, is still meeting with encouragement.

He has already received the applications for 25 members and hopes to get the full 40 to 50 members within two weeks. The company will be mustered in immediately after the requisite number is secured and fully equipped at once.

Mayor Yelser has written to Frankfort in regard to the city's getting the next encampment, and received an acknowledgment together with the assurance that Paducah's application will be given due consideration.

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Wants \$7,500.

Louisville, Ky., April 20.—Patrick Curley, the blacksmith who has a shop on one corner of the new armory site, with a five year's lease, and who has refused to make way for the new building, proposed to the fiscal court to accept \$7,500 to vacate. Fiscal court pronounced this exorbitant, and instructed County Attorney Hinkman to take steps to out Curley.

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—Call Palmer Transfer Co. for carriages, baggage wagons and first-class livery rig. Hack fares and trunks strictly cash. Best service in the city.

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—Get a Welsh Patent Magazine binder. Save your Magazines and be your own binder. A full line of them at H. D. Clements & Co., old phone, 436.

—900 buys 100-pound bag of pure wheat bran at Kaukeleter's.

—Mr. Gip Hushands, of the Benton road, has opened his fine pasture on his farm for the summer and is ready to pasture all classes of stock.

—Let the Smith Sisters assist you to your selection of an Easter hat. They are showing an unusually big variety of all the new creations.

—A joint meeting of the local lodges of the Golden Cross will be held this evening for the purpose of hearing a report on the grand ledge held a few days ago at Burlington.

—The loss on the Jackson Foundry and Machine company from the fire two weeks ago has been adjusted and \$3,000 paid the owners of the property.

—Mr. Thomas Todd, of the Frank Pohl brewery, of Louisville, is here to establish an agency. Mr. H. D. Quarles will likely be the company's agent.

—Messrs. Wm. Bornemann, A. S. Thompson, Sam Hubbard, W. B. Kennedy and others are to organize a transfer company here with a capital stock of \$5,000, and haul all kinds of freight, but especially tobacco. It will be called the Thompson Transfer company.

—Mr. George Robertson is slowly improving from the injuries received when a horse kicked him several days ago. A bone in his right arm, it has been ascertained, has been fractured.

—Mr. W. C. Bolton has gone to Texas for his health. His daughter accompanied him and his son, Mr. Lee Bolton, went as far as Cairo with him.

The funeral of the late Mr. Corrill, who died at Metropolis, Ill., will take place at 2 o'clock tomorrow

afternoon under the auspices of the Masons.

—Mr. E. H. Randolph mashed a finger on his right hand badly yesterday afternoon at the T. C. shops, and will be disabled for some time.

—It had been reported that former Chief of Police Mahoney, of Cairo, would again be appointed chief under Mayor-elect George Parsons, but the latter announces that ex-Chief Mahoney will not be, as he now has a better job with the Cairo Trust Co.

—The Mite Society of the First Baptist church, will meet Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. J. M. Long, 1315 Jefferson street.

—The Plinkston, aged 30, of the city, and born Lee Tisworth, of the city, aged 25, colored, were licensed to wed.

—The bids for the new parsonage to be erected by Grace Episcopal were yesterday received by the church building committee of the vestry, and will be presented by them at the parish meeting on Easter Monday. It is expected to begin building soon.

PACKET COMPANY

ELECTS OFFICERS FOR THE APPROACHING YEAR.

Capt. Harry Gilbert succeeds the late Capt. Joe Fowler as President.

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DELEGATES BACK.

Drs. Brooks, Stuart and Olivia Nelson Returned From Atlanta.

Drs. J. G. Brooks, D. T. Stuart and Olivia Nelson returned this afternoon from Atlanta, Ga., where they went as delegates to the anti-tuberculosis league. They report a pleasant and profitable time, about 600 delegates being present. A great deal was accomplished, and every delegate is fond in praise of the hospitality shown.

LAIRAH DEMANDS.

About All Unions Have Signed Up Now.

The indication is that there will be no controversy over scales between the unions and "bosses" in Paducah this year. About all the unions have already signed up except the ship carpenters, and it will be known by May 1st what they are going to do. There are no other contracts to be made.

RIB BROKEN BY FALL.

Mr. H. R. Wolff, the well known tinner employed at the J. C. Marten shop on North Tenth street, fell while at work this afternoon and broke a rib on the left side. The injury was dressed by Dr. J. D. Robertson.

People and Pleasant Events

Open Session and Debate. The following interesting program will be rendered at the open session of the literary societies of the High school, Friday afternoon, beginning at 2 o'clock, in the High school auditorium. The debate on municipal ownership will be a feature of especial interest. The public is cordially invited:

President—Carl Leigh.

Secretary—Mary Cave.

Boudoir Orchestra.

Recitation—Beulah Lane.

Vocal solo—Hallene Yancey.

Essay—Florence Loeb.

Piano Duet—Helene McRae.

Mary Lou Roberts.

Recitation—Jessie Parkin.

Reading—Cora Richardson.

Essay—Saldee Smith.

Piano Duet—Rosebud Hobson.

Mary Boudoir.

Oration—Edward Mitchell.

Vocal Duet—Marjorie Loving.

Lillian Hobson.

Debate—Resolved, That the public ownership of the city's franchises is the best solution for municipal problems and will render better and cheaper service for the municipality: Alternative—Hell Nichols, David Yelton, Thomas Woolridge, Negative—Henry Cave, Paul Barnes, Lorenzo Emery.

Vocal Solo—Nella Hatfield.

Recitation—Nell Thompson.

Piano Solo—Carrie Ham.

Boudoir Orchestra.

Lodge Entertainment.

Magnolia Grove No. 2, W. C., will give an entertainment at the former Odd Fellows' hall, corner Fifth and Broadway, Friday evening at 7:30 p. m., with the following program:

Opening ceremony by the Grove.

Overture—Miss Letta Marlowe.

Speech—Miss Georgia May Lee.

Song—Mrs. Joe McCann.

Duet—Misses Letta Marlowe and Penny Voght.

Song—Miss Frances Brooks.

Recitation—Mrs. H. H. Dailey.

Duet—Mr. and Mrs. Sam Walker.

Song—Mr. Frank Hall.

Recitation—Miss Anna Websman.

Speech—Joseph B. Flach.

Song—Miss Letta Marlowe.

Recitation—Mrs. Spence.

Refreshments will be served at conclusion. Everyone invited. No charge.

Mr. F. M. Bush, of Smithland, is at the Palmer.

Messrs. John F. Hanner and J. D. McCallister, of Dyersburg, Tenn., are at the Palmer. It is understood they came to inspect the bituminous streets.

Mr. R. K. Dinkerson, of Evansville, Ind., is in the city on business.

Mr. W. F. Paxton and Attorney Hal Corbett have returned from Cincinnati.

Mariposa Club Dance.

The Mariposa club will give a dance at the Palmer on the evening of the 25th. The list will be at Oberhoffer's drug store after Saturday and Sunday.

Second Dinner Party to Visitor.

Miss Henrietta Roger will entertain at 7 o'clock dinner this evening at her home on Jefferson street in honor of her guest, Miss Anne Rhee, of Nashville, Tenn. This is the second of these charming occasions.

ENTRE NOUS CLUB.

Mrs. Henry Grice is hostess to the Entre Nous club this afternoon.

COLUMBIA CLUB.

Mrs. C. W. Theobold entertained the Columbia club yesterday afternoon at her home on the Mayfield road. Lunch was served and a pleasant afternoon was spent by all.

Mr. J. K. Greer went to Elkhorn, Ky., today on business.

Commonwealth Attorney John G. Lovett returned to Benton this morning.

Mr. Frank Scott returned from St. Louis this morning.

Mr. R. A. Gilbert went out on a trip through Eastern Kentucky today at noon.

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Drs. J. G. Brooks, D. T. Stuart and Olivia Nelson returned this afternoon from Atlanta, Ga., where they went as delegates to the anti-tuberculosis league. They report a pleasant and profitable time, about 600 delegates being present. A great deal was accomplished, and every delegate is fond in praise of the hospitality shown.

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The Wings of the Morning

By LOUIS TRACY
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"Up!" he whispered. "Hold tight and go as quickly as you can!"

"Not will out you!"

"Up, for God's sake! I follow at your heels!"

She began to climb. He took some article from between his teeth, a string apparently, and drew it toward him, mounting the ladder at the same time. The end tightened. He was then about ten feet from the ground. Two Dyaks, yelling fiercely, rushed from the cover of the house.

"Go on," he said to Iris. "Don't lose your nerve, whatever happens. I am close behind you."

"I am quite safe," she gasped.

Turning and clinging on with one hand, he drew his revolver and fired at the pair beneath, who could not faintly discern them, and were almost within reach of the ladder. The shooting made them hilt. He did not know or care if they were hit. To frighten them was sufficient. Several others

warned you."

"May I ask how many more wild adventures you undertook without my knowledge?"

"One other, of great magnitude. I fell in love with you."

"Nonsense!" she retorted. "I knew that long before you admitted it to yourself."

"But, please?"

"Well, to begin at the very beginning, you thought I was nice on board the梯梯. Now, didn't you?"

And they were safely embarked on a conversation of no interest to any other person in the wide world, but which provided them with the most delightful topic imaginable.

Thus the time sped until the rising sun illuminated the cliff on the white carpet of sand strewn sand. The tide shadow line traveled slowly closer to the base of the cliff, and Jenks, guided also by the stars, told Iris that night was at hand.

They kept on the parapet of the ledge, alert to catch any unusual sound and watching for any indication of human movement. But Rainbow Island was now still as the grave. The wounded Dyaks had seemingly been removed from hurt and death. The dead lay where they had fallen. The sea sang a lullaby to the rest, and the fresh breeze whispered among the palm fronds that was all.

If the Musominus kept his compact the hour was at hand. Then the light kiss of a snake rose to them from the depths. That is a sound never forgotten when once heard. It is like none other. Indeed the term "chiss" is a misnomer for the quick silent explosion of the breath by an alarmed or annoyed serpent.

Iris paid no heed to it; but Jenks, who knew there was not a reptile of the snake variety on the island, leaped over the ledge and emitted a tolerably good imitation. The native was beneath.

"Sahib!"

The girl started at the unexpected call from the depths.

"Yes," said Jenks quietly.

"A rope, sahib?"

The sailor lowered a rope. Something was tied to it beneath. The Mohammedan apparently had little fear of being detected.

"Pull, sahib."

"Usually it is the sahib who says pull, but circumstances alter cases," commanded Jenks. He handed steadily at a heavy weight, a goatskin filled with cold water. He emptied the hot and sour water out of the tin cup and was about to hand the three welcome draft to Iris when a suspicious thought caused him to withhold it.

"Let me taste first," he said.

The Indian might have betrayed them to the Dyaks. More unlikely things had happened. What if the water were poisoned or drugged?

He placed the tin to his lips. The liquid was musty, having been in the sun nearly two days. Otherwise it seemed to be all right. With a sigh of profound relief he gave Iris the cup and smiled at the most unladylike haste with which she emptied it.

"Drink yourself and give me some more," she said.

"No more for you at present, madam. In a few minutes, yes."

"Oh, why not now?"

"Do not fret, dear one. You can have all you want in a little while. But to drink much now would make you very ill."

Iris waited until he could speak again.

"Why did you?" she began.

But he bent over the parapet.

"Hello!"

"Sahib?"

"You have not been followed?"

"I think not, sahib. Do not talk too loud. They are foxes in canning. You have a ladder, they say, sahib. Will not your honor descend? I have much to relate."

It made no protest when Jenks explained the man's request. She only stipulated that he should not leave the ladder, while she would remain within easy shot. The sailor, of course, carried his revolver. He also picked up a crowbar, a most useful and silent weapon. Then he went quietly downward. Seizing the ground, he saw the native, who subsisted deeply and was unarmed. The poor fellow seemed to be very anxious to help them.

"What is your name?" demanded the sailor.

"Mr. Jan, sahib, formerly corporal in the Kinnun regiment."

"When did you leave the regiment?"

"Two years ago, sahib. I killed!"

"What was the name of your comrade?"

"Kinnun, I-shpene-sahib, a brave man, but of no account on a horse."

Jenks well remembered Colonel Spence—a fat, short-legged warrior, who rolled off his charger if the number so much as looked sideways. Mr. Jan was telling the truth.

"You are right, Mr. Jan. What is Timig S'All doing now?"

(To be Continued.)

It's as cowardly to speak ill of a man behind his back as it is dangerous to say it to his face.

CHAPTER XIV.

"You are a dear unscrupulous little girl," he said. "Have you heart enough to tell me why you came down the ladder?"

"When I discovered you were gone I became wild with fright. Didn't you see I had saved you were wounded and had fallen from the ledge? What else could I do but follow, either to help you, or, if that were not possible?"

He found her hand and pressed it to his lips.

"I really crave your pardon," he said. "The calculation is more than mine. It was I who behaved unreasonably. Of course I should have

REV. BACHMAN AT WORK.

Will Soon Complete His Engagement in Mississippi.

Canton, Miss., April 29—Rev. Geo. O. Bachman, field worker of the Mississippi State Sunday School Association, is entering his third month in the service of the association. He spent last Sunday at Vicksburg, addressing three Sunday schools.

His appointments for the remainder of the month are as follows:

Sunday, April 16, Hattiesburg; Monday, April 17, Purvis; Tuesday, April 18, Poplarville; Wednesday, April 19, Laurel; Thursday, April 20, Quitman; Friday, April 21, Waycross; Saturday, April 22, Aheroe; Monday, April 23, Ripley; Tuesday, April 24, Blue Mountain; Wednesday, April 25, Pontotoc; Thursday, April 26, Booneville; Friday, April 27, Isaacs; Sunday, April 29, Corinth.

The work of Mr. Bachman has been very cordially received, and the hearty co-operation of the workers throughout the state with the plans of the executive committee has been very gratifying. Mr. Bachman closes his present engagement on May 1, and goes from this state to New Brunswick, Canada, where he will remain until after the International convention at Toronto, June 23-27.

CURES Coughs and Colds.

Mrs. C. Peterson, 625 Lake street, Topeka, Kan., says: "Of all cough remedies Ballard's Horehound Syrup is my favorite; it has done and will do all that is claimed for it—to speedily cure all coughs and colds, and it is so sweet and pleasant to the taste." 25c, 50c \$1 bottle.

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has cured thousands of American women who have never thought of it as a remedy. It is a simple home treatment which enables them to treat themselves in the privacy of their own homes, applied directly to the part affected, avoiding taking strong medicine into the stomach which so often does more harm than good. A testimonial can be furnished from most every section of the country.

Ark. Druggist for MAGNOLIA BLOSSOM. One dollar for a box containing one month's treatment. Write to 801 THE WESTERN DRUGGIST CO., South Broad, Ind., their book entitled "A Book for Women," sent free to any address. Letters requiring medical advice referred to our lady physiologist and treated with strict confidence.

Sold by W. B. McPherson, Druggist, Fourth and Broadway.

WORMS

"I had for years suffered from what medical men called Tapeworms and Cataracts of the Bladder. August I purchased a box of Cascarets and was surprised to find it removed the Tapeworms, equalizing mass left me. Since our doctor's suggestion when I showed him thirty feet, and in another case when I showed him forty feet, and in another case when I showed him fifty feet, and in another case when I showed him sixty feet, and in another case when I showed him seventy feet, and in another case when I showed him eighty feet, and in another case when I showed him ninety feet, and in another case when I showed him one hundred feet, and in another case when I showed him one hundred and ten feet, and in another case when I showed him one hundred and twenty feet, and in another case when I showed him one hundred and thirty feet, and in another case when I showed him one hundred and forty feet, and in another case when I showed him one hundred and fifty feet, and in another case when I showed him one hundred and sixty feet, and in another case when I showed him one hundred and seventy feet, and in another case when I showed him one hundred and eighty feet, and in another case when I showed him one 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Our Great Easter Offerings

THE cold, unseasonable weather has not kept us from doing the biggest business in the history of this establishment. The cold days can't last always, the promises for Easter, from the weather man, are for pretty, warm weather. If you have not made your Easter purchases, do so at once. Come, let us help you with a selection from the most comprehensive displays in every department ever shown in Paducah. We can, please you.

Your Easter Purchases

We want to assist you in making your selections in our lines for Easter.

We, of course, take it for granted you must have something new for this occasion, or the gander that use to frighten us in our younger days will get you.

Now, whether it is a suit or merely a necktie you want, come to us. Never before have such comprehensive displays in men's, youths' and children's wearing apparel as we are showing been made in Paducah and we want you to see them.

Easter Neckwear Ideas

Our Easter ideas in Neckwear comprise all the, very latest showings in men's and boys' and women's neckwear, from the leading manufacturers of the country. Even an old suit takes on an air of the new when set off by a pretty necktie. Come see the season's offerings. One won't satisfy you. You will want several.

Easter Shoe Ideas

Oxford shoes will be more popular than ever this spring and summer, and they come in patent leathers, tans and chocolates. With big flowing shoe laces they are very swag-ger for well-dressed men.

We are showing the Nettle-ton and Stacy Adams in \$5 and \$6 and oxfords at \$3.50.

EASTER CLOTHES FOR MEN AND BOYS

Let us show you the styles in Men's Clothes. There is a marked change from last spring, and the man with an old suit on is very soon "spotted." The coats are long--some extremely long--the lapels wider, the trousers fuller, the vest different; in' fact the changes are many and marked.

Then, too, the shades. Grays are very popular this season and will be worn by the more discriminate in taste.

But then we have the fabrics to suit every taste--the styles each man likes. If you don't care for the extremes, we have what you want either in cut and style, or fabric, and each garment is the peer of the best merchant tailors' product.

The only difference is in the price. We have suits for every one, priced from \$5.00 to \$40.00, and you will certainly find just the one you are looking for.

We have sold just a host of Easter Suits for the little fellows the past week. Let us fit out your boys. We are showing every one of the new things in unlimited variety--every garment exclusive and distinctively attractive for its qualities for wear and styles.

The Russian blouses with sailor collar, or cadet collar; the sailor suit, the Eton Russian suit in grays, blues, tans, browns and fancy mixtures are a few of the styles.

We have exclusive things for the boys in Hats and Caps, and Neck wear for Easter and spring and summer.

The boys will be given the same careful attention as the men, so if you can't come with the boys just send them to us.

Remember our free circulating library for the boys, and also our airship with each suit purchase. They cost you nothing.

Popular Prices for Easter Our \$7.50 Suits

We have a suit made specially for us that we know is the equal of any you pay \$10.00 elsewhere. It confounds four essential points in making that we had embodied in each garment: Hair cloth front, shrunken linen canvas, hand-felled collars, Phoenix x shoulder pads.



Easter Hat Ideas

The new hat ideas for spring top off the most attractive, and what are destined to be the most popular, styles in men's wearing apparel. Either in the soft hats or the derbies, they are designs that grace the appearance of every man.

We are showing the latest styles from Dunlap, Young, and Hawes and Stetson soft and stiff hats, as well as the new things in caps for men and youths.

Ask to see our Easter Special Stiff Hat, for which we are exclusive agents.

Easter Hosiery Ideas

The new things in men's Hose will appeal to you. The patterns are along new lines, neat, nobby and attractive. Like your neckwear, you want a big variety of fancy hose, and we have it to show you. We have all the new things in silk and lisle and cotton. See the new green shades. We can suit your feet in pretty hose.

Easter Shoe Ideas

No matter how many fancy vests you have, no matter how many white ones, you will want one or two of our showings. Never before have such pretty ones been offered in Paducah, for never before have such handsome creations been conceived in white and fancy vests for men and youths.

